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RAILROADS TO FIGHT STRIKE

Switchmen of Northwest Railroads, on O'her Hand, Are Also Confident.

FREIGHT BUSINESS DELAYED

Both Sides to Controversy Claime This Morning to Have Situation Well in Hand-Effort to Overcome Unions?

St. Paul, Dec. & Both sides in the controversy between the railroads of the northwest and the switchmen between here and the Pacific coast claimed to have the situation well in hand this morning. Passenger traffic was maintained throughout the twin cities last night and this morning. though with considerable delay. Very

The switchmen are firm in their determination to hold out for an increase of 6 cents an hour in wages with double time for overtime, Sundays and holidays, together with other concessions, while the railroads claim things will adjust themselves to their normal condition within a few days, despite the walk-out.

All freight trains at Duluth and Superior were at a standstill Ithis morning. It is said that should the strike last even a few days, fully ten thousand men, employed at the mines. docks and in other industries at the Wedding in a Fashionable New . head of the lakes will be thrown out of work.

The railroad manager's strike com mittee is made up for the larger part of railroads not directly concerned in the switchmen's strike, thus giving the contest an appearance of national importance. It is said today that the moral and financial support of the na tional Railway association is being given the railroads of the northwest in an alleged effort to overcome union

Prepared for a Long Fight. Superior, Wis., Dec. 1.-Not a swith engine in Superior ta doing service today. To all appearances the rallway people plan an entire cessation of freight work. No violence is threat- D. C. ened and the men are apparently prepared to make a long fight.

QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY OBSERVED. Alexandra of England at 65 is in Very

Good Health. birthday of Queen Alexandra was cel- ing. ebrated today with the usual heartiness throughout the kingdom, by artillery salutes, the ringing of church Majesty spent the day at Sandring- Ernest M. Stires. The bride was at- er, when Iturbide made his triumphant the railways on the industrial growth ham, surrounded by an unusually tended by Miss Helen Melbourne Meek entry into the capital. The next sixty of Mexico, without them it would have large gathering of the royal family, of Virginia as maid of honor, Mr. years marked a period of almost in- been practically impossible for Presi-Greetings poured in from all parts of Chamberlin had his brother, Justin cessant domestic warfare, during which dent Diaz to put into effect those polthe world and numerous handsome Morrill Chamberlin of Washington, for time comparatively little progress was itieat reforms which converted the presents were received from the King best man, and another brother, Capt. made, Then came Mexico's strong country from a land of almost uninand other members of the royal family Paul E. Chamberlin of the United man, Porfirio Diaz.

and from relatives among the reigning States Marine Corps was among the A quarter of a cer families on the Continent.

for a long time, thanks to her long parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Moses, peace and industrial prosperity were in addition to constructing railways visit the past summer in Norway and reside, Denmark. In future her delles during the London season are to b. lightened, There is talk of cutting down the tions next year, while the Princess of Wales and the Duchess of Connaught will undertake many duties that have been carried out by the Queen in the for the wedding tonight of Congress-

enhagen on December 1, 1844, the eld-derson. The bride is the daughter of est of the late King of Denmark's Noah P. Sanderson of this city and three daughters. She married the a graduate of Randolph-Macon Col-Prince of Wales, now King Edward tege in Virginia. Immediately after VII. of England. in King George's the wedding the bridal couple will leave Chapel, Windsor, March 10, 1863, and for Washington. counts six children and nine grand-

Of her children-three sons and three daughters-four are living, Her Borah Told that \$3,000,000 Paid Does third son, Prince Alexander, born April 6, 1871, fived only one day. The eldest son, the Duke of Clarence, died in 1892, at the age of twenty-eight.

Wales, is forty-four years old, and is Collector Loeb. The \$3,000,000 paid the the father of five sons and one daugh- government by the sugar trust as the ter, ranging in age from 15 to 5 years amount stolen is less than one-tenth

The eldest of the Queen's daughters. the fifteen years." Princess Louise, wife of the Duke of This is the information sent to Unitmentioned of late as a possible con- to Congress calling for an investigasort for the young King of Portugal.

cess Victoria, now past 40, has never married. The youngest daughter, Princess Maud, became Queen of Trust and its dealings. This man Norway four years ago, and her only announced in his letter that he was child, Prince Olaf, six years old, will willing to appear as a witness if a be King of Norway some day if noth-

MRS. A. LIENGRUBER DEAD.

The death occurred yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock of Mrs. A. Llengruber of Calumet avenue. The decedent was aged 53 years, and is survived by five years ago. Her funeral will take station was constructed at a cost

TEXAS LEADS IN COTTON.

Estimate Fixes the Total Crop 10,625,000 Bales. New Orleans, Dec. 1.—The Times

Democrat, presenting its correspondents' final reports on the cotton crop of 1909, state that the consensus of opinion points to a total of 10,625,000

The figures by states follow: Alahams, 1,050,000; Arkansas, 725,000; Georgia and Florida, 2,000,000; Louisiana, 350,000; Mississippi, 1,100,000; North Carolina, 725,000; Oklahoma 625,000; South Carolina, 1,150,000; Tentessee, 300,000; Texas, \$600.000

These figures relate to actual growth and are exclusive of linters, repacks and similar items.

Correspondents report that farmers hitherto have been disposed to sell freely at current prices, but now are nclined to hold the remnant.

BRILLIANT SOCIAL WEDDING.

Miss Chase of Washington Becomes Bride of Lieut. Raiston.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 1.—The first of the December weddings in capital society was solemnized today, when Miss Marie Louise Chase, daughter of Mrs. Constantine Chase, became the tittle freight was handled anywhere bride of Lleut. Robert R. Raiston, U. between the Great Lakes and the S. A. The bride was attended by Miss Edna Taylor of New London, Conn. . and Captain William A. Mitchell, now stationed at West Point, acted as best man. Many persons prominent in Washington society were present at the wedding and at the reception which followed.

RICH YOUNG WOMAN MARRIES A BLIND MAN

York Church Today Attracts Attention.

LOVE MATCH IS CONSUMMATED

list of notable weddings that have tak- played and during the day the aged en place in fashionable St. Thomas' President was kept busy receiving Church ever attracted more attention deputations bearing felicitous mesthan the ceremony performed there at sages and greetings from all parts of noon today which made Miss Vera the country, All the leading news-MacFarland Moses, whose father is a papers of the capital today contained multi-millionaire, the bride of Edward articles calling attention to the an-Matthews Chamberlin of Washington, niversary and reminding Mexico and

The white satin and tulle and orange bride was arrayed were unseen by her of his country. husband, although she leaned proudby him, but their happy faces, their ruled the country in the same manner Dec. 1 .- The sixty-fifth baskets of flowers, counted for noth- that she ruled her other colonial pos-

an old Virginia family, is totally blind, Spanish authority was raised on Sepbells, and the display of flags. Her formed by the rector, the Rev. Dr. not proclaimed until eleven years lat- vestment. Aside from the effect of

CONGRESSMAN IS MARRIED.

Miss Lucile Sanderson.

Texarkana, Tex., Dec. 1.-A number man Morris Sheppard, of the First no question of the wisdom of the in- among the world powers. Queen Alexandra was born in Cop- Texas district, and Miss Lucile San-

SUGAR FRAUD \$30,000,000?

Not Cover One-Tenth. Washington, Dec. 1.- For fifteen years the sugar trust has been robbing the government in the gigantic man-The second son, George, Prince of ner recently disclosed in New York by of what the thefts amounted to for

of whom has been prominently has prepared a resolution to present tion of the Sugar Trust. The infor-The Queen's second daughter, Prin- mation is sent by a prominent business man of New York who for twenty years has been close to the Sugar congressional investigation were start. ed and would bring for the inspection of the committee proofs of all that he

FINE RAILROAD STATION.

Chattanooga, Tenn., Dec. 1 .- The three young children, and a sister at new railroad terminal station in this Lake Linden. Her husband died about city was opened for use today. The place tomorrow morning with services three-quarters of a million dollars and at the Sacred Heart church at 9 o'clock is one of the largest and finest rail-and interment in Lake View cemetery, road terminals in the South.

MEXICO'S HEAD FOR 25 YEARS

President Diaz Today Rounds Out Quarter Century in Present Office.

COUNTRY OWES MUCH 10 HIM

of Good Government Under the Rule of Diaz Has Effected an Almost Incredible Change in the Republic.

EVENTS IN THE CAREER OF DIAZ.

1830-Born in Oaxaca of an Indian mother, Educated for the church.

1846-Enlisted in war against the United States. 1854-Served in revolt against

Santa Anna.

1858-Supported Juarez in war of reform. 1859-Opposed French in war

Intervention. 1867-Secured surrender of City of Mexico from Maximilian.

1867-Candidate for President igninst Junez. Defented. 1876-Made Provisional President of the Republic.

1877-Regularly elected for hree years' term. 1880-Secured election

Gonzales as his successor. 1884-Again elected President, law against re-election having been abrogated.

years of continuous service as head of the Republic. In celebration of the New York, Dec. 1 .- None of the long anniversary flags were everywhere disher people of what they owe to the nounces he expects another engage soldier and stateman who has devoted ment today. blossoms with which the beautiful his life to the welfare and development

It is no exaggeration to state that sessions, for the benefit of Spain and For Mr. Chamberlin, who comes of Spaniards. The flag of revolt against The marriage ceremony was per-tember 16, 1810, but independance was

A quarter of a century of good gov- peace and law and order.

GETS HIS MONEY BACK

to a Carcless lowa Man.

Wyo., Dec. 1.-When Charles Biddle, of Rock City, Iowa, tepped off here for a few days and neldentally sent out his laundry he neglected to remove twelve one-hundred dollar bills which had been sewed in an undergarment for safekeeping. Police Investigating Murder of Remembering the money he called at the laundry expecting to learn it had been destroyed in the washing process, He found instead that a young lady who does the marking had discovered the bills and turned them over to the proprietor. They were returned to NEW YORK MURDER MYSTERY Biddle intact and he proceeded to buy costly presents for all concerned as a reward for their honesty. Biddle is re- Brooklyn Young Woman's Body Found satisfactory movement of freight in turning to his home from a sojourn in

HAMILTON CASE DECISION.

Judge Streeter of the circuit court with the county clerk, from whom the testimony will be secured.

ESTRADA, EQUIPPED, **ASSUMES ACCRESSIVE**

Well Supplied with War Necessities.

Bluefields, Nicaragua, Dec. 1.-The arrived here from New York with ment for pensions during the City of Mexico, Dec. 1.-President gents. The latter are now well equiplately assume the aggressive.

unchanged.

General Matuty, who reported a de- paid prior to June 30, 1865, cisive victory over the government troops near Rama, Monday. He an-

France Awaiting Information. Parls, Dec. 1.—The roreign office

terrupted domestic war into a land of

ushers. The ceremony at the church ernment under the rule of Diag has During the twenty-five years that The Queen is reported to be in better general health than she has been at the Hotel Savoy, where the bride's in Mexico. Diaz saw that political the destinies of Mexico, President Diaz, alike dependent upon railway commun- and telegraphs, has produced a najeation. In 1875, two years before the tional surplus of \$20,000,000, encouragfirst election of General Diaz, Mex- ed home industries, placed coinage or approximately 20,000 miles. Much of ed the religious congregations, and, by of guests from out of town are here this work has been done by a costly cultivating the good will of foreign

Honest Laundry People Return \$1,200 DISCOVERY IS

Woman Find Bones and Child's Skull.

Vacant House-Subsequent Investigation Reveals Remains of a Child.

New York, Dec. 1.-Mystery surrounding the death of Mrs. O. W. N. loday granted the request of two Grand Snead, a young Brooklyn woman, Rapids attorneys for a copy of the whose body was found in a bath tub testimony is the George E, Hamilton in a vacant house in East Orange, N. ase for use in an application for a J., yesterday, is still unravelled today. new trial. The testimony will be tran- it has been learned that Mrs. Snead scribed by the court reporter and filed carried \$29,900 insurance on her life. Search of a house in Brooklyn, where Mrs. Snead and Miss Virginia

Wardlaw and two young women formerly resided, by detectives today, ed to the discovery of blood spots in kitchen stove the police found two aundles of human hair while crushed, down in the stome were four human Annapolis or West Point may be Insurgents' Leader in Nicaragua child two years old was also brought schedule, forth from the stove. Miss Wardlaw is held by the police pending further examination.

PENSIONS STILL INCREASING.

GOVERNMENT TROOPS BEATEN Government Pays Out \$161,973,703.77 During the Past Year.

Washington, D. C. Dec. 1.—Th great sum of \$161,973,703.77 was dis-Norwegian steamer St. Avengeren has bursed by the United States govern-sum ever paid out in a twelve month Diaz today rounded out twenty-five ped with machine guns, ammunition period by this government, according and small arms. Estrada will immed- to the report of Secretary of the Interfor Richard Ballinger. Secretary Bal-General Chamorro has arrived here linger states that since the foundation and reports the situation at Greytown of the government there has been disbursed for pensions to soldiers, sailors Zelaya is making no preparation for and marines, their widows and dethe announced march upon Bluefields. pendents the sum of \$3,913,082,513.73, Reinforcements have been sent to of which amount \$95,415,441.23 was today when Major Andrew S. Rowan

IRRIGATION MAN WEDS.

Pullman, Wash, Dec. 1.-The wedding of Miss Mabel Sarah Baker daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Baker cabled today to the French consuls in and Arthur Hocker, of Spokane, took ly on his arm. The childish prattle under the rule of Diaz Mexico has be- Nicaragua instructing them to furnish place at the bride's home here to- Infantry when his great opportunity of the two little flower girls was heard come a new land. For 300 years Spain information regarding the published day. The bridegroom is the secretary reports that citizens of France had of the National Irrigation congress been Ill-treated in Nicaraugua. Upon and one of the pioneer workers in the the nature of the replies will depend irrigation and dry-farming movement the subsequent action of this govern- in the West. The couple will make their future home in Pueblo, Colo,

Small Pennsylvania Town. Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 1.-A few intiate friends of Mrs. Carrie Hays Dilworth, widow of the late George Mor- Jamaica, thence overland to the north the rights of commons. As soon as he gan Dilworth, the Pittsburg coal operator, are discussing with keen interest the romance which has come of Cuba, landing between Guantanamo into the life of the beautiful and weal- and Santiago. He made his way to thy reliet. Mrs. Dilworth is soon to the interior of the island and found become the bride of Rev. Samuel G. Craig, a Presbyterian minister of Manzanillo, Part of the time Rowan Ebensburg. No formal announcement had passed as a Spaniard and part Jeffries and Johnson, scheduled for has yet been made and the news will of the time as a Cuban. Delivering Ico had only about 360 miles of rall- a gold basis, developed agricultural surprise many close friends of the his message, he started to return, well number of courts and other state func. Rep. Morris Sheppard of Texas, Weds way. Twenty years later she had and mining resources, established an Hays and Dilworth families. Mrs. aware that if he had been captured nearly 7,000 miles, and she has today efficient public school system, abolish- Dilworth's income is conservatively he would have been hanged like estimated at \$50,000 a year. She had Nathan Hale and Major Andre. wealth in her own right before she besystem of subsidies, but there can be nations, given Mexico a new status came the bride of the late George Morgan Dilworth.

NEW STEAMSHIP LINE.

ton-Galveston Service. Boston, Mass., Dec. L.-The Clyde GHASTLY ONE Steamship Company today inaugurated its new steamship service between this port and Galveston, with Charleston as a regular port of call. The nev line will give regular and direct serextensive southern and western territory reached through Galveston. It will also permit the direct interchange of freight between the Southwest and the Southeast, through Galveston Jacksonville and Charleston. Through rates have been established, through bills of lading will be issued and ever-

MORE EAST-WEST GAMES

facility arranged for the prompt and

Plans For Additional Football Contests Are Being Made.

New York, Dec. 1.-Football enthu slasts in the east already are discussing the possibility of arranging furyear. If Dartmouth does not play Princeton, it may meet Minnesota in a Lansdowne amendment being carried, game which football men say would

Michigan and Pennsylvania prob ably will meet again, and it is said arious rooms of the house. In the Chicago is anxious to get another eastern game in addition to the one with Cornell. It is hoped that either one, partly burned. The skull of a duced to put the Chicagoans on their

MAN WHO TOOK WORD TO CARCIA IS RETIRED

Major Andrew S. Rowan Completes Active Service in the U. S. Army.

UNDERTOOK A RISKY ERRAND

Washington, D. C., Dec., 1.-The United States army lost one of its bravest and most conspicuous officers who lately has been on duty at Fort Douglas, Utah, was placed on the retired list after more than thirty-two

Major Rowan is known popularly all over the land as the "man, who took the message to Garcia." He was a first lieutenant in the Nineteenth essity arising for the dispatching of a rustworthy messenger to Gen. Calixto Garcia to ascertain whether the Cuban army could co-operate with the army of the United States, Lieut. Rowan was selected by Gen. Miles. tion day. Garcia was somewhere in the interior of Cuba, surrounded on all sides by house of commons today that tomorrow ittsburg Woman Finds Romance in the Spanish forces, and the trip con- he would move a resolution to the efsequently was one fraught with great feet that the action of the lords in re-

danger, Rowan made his way to Kingston, coast of that island, where he slipped concluded the house adjourned. away in a sail boat for the south shore Gen, Garcia in the neighborhood of

BALDWIN GETS \$1,000.

Judge Stone Decides in His Favor in Escanaba Boycott Case.

Marquette, Mich., Dec. 1.-Judge arrived here today. Stone has handed down a decision in the case of F. L. Baldwin, editor of the Escanaba Journal, against J. J. Cleary and other liquor dealers of that city. Mr. Baldwin brought suit against the Escanaba liquor dealers on the ground that they had attempted to becomes a member of the military boycott him by inducing merchants to council. refrain from patronizing the Journal. because of the decided stand that paper has been taking in favor of law ago, Judge Stone granted a temporary injunction restraining the liquor dealers from further attempting to wants to make up, all he has to do is boycott Mr. Baldwin in that manner, take me in his arms and I will forgive In his decision, Judge Stone made the everything and forget all our troutemporary injunction permanent and bles," said Mrs. Howard Chandler awarded Mr. Baldwin a judgment for Christy, wife of the artist, as she dis-\$1,000. The suit has attracted unusual cussed the status of the Christy faminterest throughout the upper penin- ily differences today. She expressed sula, both because of the unique char- this willingness when informed that acter of the case and Mr. Baldwin's Mr. Christy had said in Zanesville, ance advocate,

ROCKEFELLER IS UNAFRAID.

New York, Dec. 1.-John D. Rockefeller, who arrived here this morning. made light of the story of a plot to assassinate him. He declared there is a reconciliation except go to Zanesnothing to it.

shaft house fire were brought to sur- in the cast, face this morning. None were physic-

BUDGET CRISIS Clyde Company Inaugurates Its Bos-IS DEVELOPING

vice between New England and the Cabinet Prepares Motion Which Premier Will Ask Commons to Adopt.

PEERS HAVE EXCEEDED RIGHTS

Claimed That House of Lords Has Invaded Right of the Lower House. Action of Upper Branch Had Been Experienced.

London, Dec. 1.—The political crisis aused by the unprecedented action of the Lords in refusing its consent to the government's budget is developing rapidly. The cabinet, which had ther inter-sectional games for next already determined upon the policy it would pursue in the event of the a conclusion which was foreseen from be one of the most notable of the the first, had an unusually early meeting today to confirm its decision and consider the wording of a motion which Premier Asquith will ask the

mmons to adopt. This motion will constitute a reconstrance against what the Liberals entend has been an invasion by the peers of the rights of the lower house. All the members of the cabinet were present at this meeting which excited so much popular interest that a great crowd gathered in the vicinity of the premier's official residence. The crowd came so great finally that a large force of police was summoned to pre-

cent a possible demonstration. The time of the deliverance of the peech, the prorogation substance of which was decided upon at yesterday's neeting of the cabinet, will depend apon the time occupied for the debate on the premier's motion, which commences tomorrow. It is expected, however, this discussion will be brief. the speeches by a pre-arrangement being confined to the leaders of the Unionist, Liberal, labor and Irish par-

ties. Parliament will be prorogued, doubtus until the middle of January, but the choice of a date is a mere formatity as the present house comes to an end by dissolution early in the year,

Election Campaign Opens Friday. The election campaign will open in arnest on Friday when David Lloyd George, chancellor of the exchequer, and Winston Spencer Churchill, president of the board of trade, who are held chiefly responsible for the budget came during the war with Spain, Ne. and Lord Lansdowne and J. Austin Chamberlain, the most ardent opponents of the government's measure will deliver speeches, and with the exception of a brief respite at Christmas, will continue the fight until elec-

fusing to pass the budget was a breach of the constitution and usurpation of

OPEN BIDS THIS AFTERNOON.

New York, Dec. 1.-The opening of bids for the fight for the heavyweight championship of the world between noon today, was deferred until late this afternoon at the request of Eddie Grancy of San Francisco. It is said the fight undoubtedly will be held in

LEISHMAN REACHES ROME.

Rome, Dec. 1.-John G. A. Leishman, the new American ambassador to Italy.

ADMIRAL TOGO RETIRES TODAY. Tokio, Dec. 1.-Admiral Togo, chief of the general staff of the navy, retires today from the naval command, and

CHRISTYS MAY MAKE UP.

observance and prohibition. Some time Wife of Artist is Willing to Forget All Their Troubles.

New York, Dec. 1.-"If Howard wide notoriety as a fighting temper- Ohio, where he is contesting the habeas corpus proceedings brought by his wife to recover possession of their 10-year-old daughter. Natalie, that she must take the first steps toward a reconcillation.

Mrs. Christy added that she was willing to do almost anything to effect ville to live.

"I did not want any court proceed-ENTOMBED MINERS RESCUED. ings," Mrs. Christy continued, "and the only reason I brought them was to Ducktown, Tenn., Dec. 1.-The eight get Natalie back. I want our little nen imprisoned in a copper mine yes- girl, but I want Howard more. We terday afternoon as the result of a can all be happy together again here

"If Howard will only see things in ally disabled as a result of the experi- this light we can have a happy Christmas together.



A Puzzle For the President